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**PATENT  
MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re:	Patent Application Of Timothy J. Cunningham	: Group Art Unit: : 1649 :
Serial No.:	10/714,699	: Examiner: : Hayes, Robert Clinton :
Filed:	November 17, 2003	: Attorney Docket No.: : 46528-5021-00-US : (DBR 216582) : Formerly: 53844-5021
For:	A SMALL SURVIVAL- PROMOTING/IMMUNOMODULATORY PEPTIDE FOR TREATMENT OF BRAIN DAMAGE, NEURODEGENERATIVE DISORDERS AND INFLAMMATORY DISORDERS.	

**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment responds to the Office Action mailed on March 12, 2007 in connection with the above-captioned patent application. This Amendment is being timely filed in view of the accompanying petition for a one (1) month extension of time, and associated fee, which extends the time for response to the Office Action to and through May 12, 2007.

Please amend the application as follows: